Sri B. D. JATTI.—Readily I cannot reply how many of them are Harijans, etc.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that quarters are not given to them on account of communal feelings there ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—That is not correct. If any instance is pointed out I will make necessary arrangement.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—I want to know the amount collected by way of rent ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The total amount is not with me. The rent varies. It all depends upon the houses occupied by the officers or the labourers.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Is it not a fact that gazetted officers are provided with quarters ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—There are some officers who are paying from Rs. 35 to Rs. 70 per month as rent.

ಒಬ್ಬ ನದನ್ಯರು.—ಇಷ್ಟು ದುಡ್ಡು ಖರ್ಚುಮಾಡಿ ವಸತಿ ಸೌಕರ್ಯ ಒದಗಿಸಿದ್ದರೂ ಸಹ ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಒಂದೆರಡು ವರುಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮನೆಗಳು ಸೋರುತ್ತಿವೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಸರಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಈ ಸಮಾಚಾರ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಕಾಣುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಒಂದೆರಡು ಉದಾಹರಣೆ ಇರಬಹುದು. ಆದರೆ ಇದು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಆರ್. ಪರಮೇಶ್ವರಯ್ಯ.—ಶೇಕಡಾ ಎಷ್ಟು ಬಾಡಿಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವರು ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Five per cent of the cost of the building.

Sri M. C. NARASIMHAN.—How many houses are proposed to be constructed during the next year ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—As many as possible according to the money we save from Amelioration Fund.

Sri J. P. SARWESH.—What is the total number of casual and temporary labourers and when are they going to be made permanent ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—That is outside the scope of the question.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Is the Government aware that Harijans and Schedule Caste people working in the factory have been provided with houses in the newly built Hutta extension but they are not given quarters in the.....

Sri B. D. JATTI.—There may be Harijans and there may not be, both of whom are not given quarters.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಟಿ. ಸೀತಾರಾಮರಾವ್.—ಈ 3,740 ಜನ ಎಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಬೇಕು. ಓರ್ ಟೌನ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಗೊತ್ತೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಕೆಲವರು ನ್ಯೂಟೌನ್‌ನಲ್ಲೂ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ. ಕೆಲವರು ಓರ್ಡ್ ಟೌನ್‌ನಲ್ಲೂ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇನ್ನೇನಾದರೂ ಸಮಾಚಾರ ಬೇಕಾಗಿದ್ದರೆ ಕೇಳಿ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಡಿ. ಟಿ. ಸೀತಾರಾಮರಾವ್.—ಈ 3,740 ಜನ ಇರುವವರಿಗೆ ಕ್ಷೇಮಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯವರು ಏನೇನು ಸೌಕರ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಯಾವ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊಸ ಮನೆಗಳು ಆಗುತ್ತವೆಯೋ ಆ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದು ಇರಲಕ್ಕೆ ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Harassment of Harijans by Caste Hindus in Bijagatta Village, Hassan District.

Q.—2648. Sri H. K. SIDDAIAH (Belur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether a complaint has been lodged with the local police authorities in Bijagatta Village, stating that the Harijans residing in Bijagatta Village, Arkalgud Taluk, Hassan District, are being harassed by caste Hindus ;

(*b*) if so, the necessary action taken by the local police authorities in that regard ?

A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The complaints have been enquired into and suitable action has been taken.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ.—ಬಿಜಗಟ್ಟ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸವರ್ಣೀಯರು ಹರಿಜನ ಹೆಂಗಸರನ್ನು ಹಿಂಸೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ? ಕಾರಣವೇನು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಕೆಲವು ಕಡೆ ತಾವು ಹೇಳುವುದು ಸರಿ. ಕೆಲವುಕಡೆ ಏನಾ ಕಾರಣ ಅಪಾದನೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA—May I know the nature of harassment done by the Caste Hindus ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—You can ask about that village.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA—Particularly in that village.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಐದು ತರಹ ಅಪ್ಲಿಕೇಷನ್‌ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಐದು ತರಹ ಅಲಗೇಷನ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದರು. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ

ನಾಲ್ಕು ಅಲಗೇಷ್ಟ ಸರಿಯುಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಚೇರಿಯಿಂದ ತಿಳಿದು ಬಂತು. ಒಂದು ಕೇಸ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಲಗೇಷ್ಟ ಸರಿ ಎಂದು ಕೇಸು ಹಾಕಿದರು. ಅದು ಕಾಂಪ್ರೊಮೈಸ್ ಆಗಿದೆ.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—What is the nature of complaint ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—One was regarding the sacrifice of a he-buffalow in Mari Festival and their refusal. The second allegation was theft, trespass and etc. The third for theft of a he-goat. The fourth was about the same allegations repeated in this application. The last was obstruction for taking drinking water and cattle. These were the types of allegations.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ದಾಸಪ್ಪ.—ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಜನರನ್ನು ಹೆದರಿಸಿ ರಾಜಿ ಮಾಡಿಸಿರುವುದು ಗೊತ್ತೇ ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The parties compromised in the court. The allegation is not correct.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—Are the Government aware that whenever Schedule Caste people go to the Police Station to register a complaint, the Police Staff.....

Mr. SPEAKER.—You must ask a question pertaining to this particular business.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—How is it possible to put a question on the particular question ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—Sri Arumugham, this question is of a particular nature.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—Is it a fact that the Police interfered with the Harijans and forced them to go in for a compromise ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—There is no question of putting force. The parties compromised themselves in the court. All the cases which have been referred to were enquired and ultimately one case was launched in the court and this was later compromised.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ.—ಹರಿಜನರ ದೂರುಗಳನ್ನು ಯಾವ ಕೋರ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಚಾರಣೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದೀರಿ ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ನಿಕಾಲೆ ಆಗಿದೆ.

Sri B. RACHIAH.—After the compromise was effected, may I know whether these Harijans were allowed to take water ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Yes, Sir.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಮುನಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ದೂರುಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಡ್‌ಕ್ಲಾಸ್ ಸ್ಪೆಷರ್ ಆಫೀಸರರಾಗಲಿ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಸ್ಪೆಷರ್ ರೆವೆನ್ಯೂ ಆಫೀಸರರಾಗಲಿ ಏನಾದರೂ ದೂರು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದರೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಅಪ್ಲಿಕೇಷ್ಟಗಳನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು ಅದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವಿಚಾರಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

Publicity Officers in the State.

Q.—2669. Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Hirekerur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of Publicity Officers with their duties in the State ;

(*b*) whether they intend to make the Department Statewide ?

A.—Sri T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Law, Labour and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Five. Four in the Districts of Dharwar, Bijapur, North Kanara and Belgaum and one attached to Headquarters. Arranging film shows in the rural areas, attending to the coverage of important functions connected with the development activities, participation in exhibitions, etc., publicising the Plan and enlisting public co-operation, issuing news items and press notes of local importance to the local press, addressing meetings in the villages.

(*b*) This is under consideration of Government.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—Since when is it under the consideration of the Government and how long will it take them to re-organise the whole department ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It may take about one-and-a-half months.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Is the extension of the Publicity Department contemplated under the Second Five-Year Plan and what is the benefit that is derived by the people ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—In the Second Five-Year Plan, it is for giving publicity to the programme of the State of Mysore. For each district, one Publicity Officer is contemplated.

Sri H. B. SHAH.—May I know whether the Government is aware that